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TO AMEMBASSY MADRID IMMEDIATE

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SUBJECT: SPANISH NEGOTIATIONS - SUGGESTED DELAY IN THIRD
ROUND

FOR EATON FROM MCCLOSKEY

1. I WOULD APPRECIATE IT IF YOU WOULD CALL ON SECRETARY
ROVIRA AND TRANSMIT THE FOLLOWING ORAL MESSAGE FROM ME:

"I WANT TO TAKE THIS EARLY OPPORTUNITY TO
BRING TO YOUR PERSONAL ATTENTION CIRCUMSTANCES
WHICH MAKE IT IMPOSSIBLE FOR ME TO BE IN MADRID
FOR THE NEGOTIATING SESSION WE HAD AGREED TO HOLD
LATER THIS MONTH. YOU MAY HAVE ALREADY SEEN FROM
PRESS REPORTS, I HAVE BEEN ASKED BY SECRETARY
KISSINGER TO ASSUME SOME ADDITIONAL RESPONS-
IBILITIES HERE IN WASHINGTON WHICH WILL REQUIRE
THAT I REMAIN HERE THROUGH JANUARY. I WOULD,
THEREFORE, PROPOSE THAT WE POSTPONE OUR NEXT
MEETING TO FEBRUARY 10. WOULD THIS BE AGREEABLE?

"I REGRET ANY INCONVENIENCE THIS MAY CAUSE
YOU OR OTHER MEMBERS OF YOUR DELEGATION. PLEASE
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ACCEPT MY APOLOGIES AS WELL AS MY VERY BEST

WISHES."
KISSINGER

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